

# Comprehensive Primary and Preventive Care (CPPC) Grant Program

## What is the CPPC Grant Program?

The CPPC Grant Program is a program that grants funds to health care providers to expand primary and preventive health care services to Colorado's uninsured, medically indigent residents.

## Who is eligible for funding?

An entity that provides comprehensive primary care in Colorado and:

- Accepts all patients regardless of their ability to pay and uses a sliding fee scale for payments or does not charge medically indigent patients for services;
- Serves a designated Medically Underserved Area or Medically Underserved Population or demonstrates that the entity serves a population or area that lacks adequate health care services for low-income, uninsured persons;
- Has a demonstrated a track record of providing cost-effective care;
- Provides or arranges for the provision of comprehensive primary care to persons of all ages. An entity in a rural area may be exempt from this requirement if they can demonstrate that there are no providers in the community to provide one or more of the comprehensive primary care services; and
- Completes a screening that evaluates eligibility for Medicaid, the Child Health Plan *Plus* (CHP+) program, and the Colorado Indigent Care Program and refers patients potentially eligible for one of the programs to the appropriate agency for eligibility determination.

## What are the goals of the CPPC Grant Program?

- To increase access to comprehensive primary care services;
- To create new services or augment existing services provided to medically indigent, uninsured patients;
- To establish new sites that offer comprehensive primary care services in medically underserved areas of the state or to medically indigent, uninsured populations; and
- To maintain increased access, capacity or services previously funded by the CPPC Grant Program.

## How does a health care provider apply?

Visit the program's website at <http://www.chcpf.state.co.us/HCPF/cppc/cppcindex.asp>

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